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### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Ms. Lemon on 12/5/2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

Please rejoin non-elected claims 30-52 and 54 under In re Orchai.

Claim 30, line 1, prior to "target", please insert – polypeptide --.

Replace claim 57 as followings:

A non-natural presentation system having a controlled molecular weight and isoelectric point, comprising at least one copy of a polypeptide target moiety or part thereof that is recognizable by a binding partner and at least one domain of a protein scaffold material covalently linked to said target moiety via a chemically reactive group in at least one side chain, wherein the protein scaffold material has a controllable property selected from the group consisting of:

- (i) number of chemically reactive cysteine amino acid residues; and
- (ii) number of chemically reactive lysine amino acid residues,

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wherein the domains of the scaffold are non-reactive to any detectable binding partner of the presentation system.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to JACOB CHEU whose telephone number is (571)272-0814. The examiner can normally be reached on 9:00-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mark Shibuya can be reached on 571-272-0806. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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